

PATENT

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OPTICAL ELEMENT HOLDER
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Prior to calculating the filing fee and prior to substantive examination of the above-identified patent application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.